



Michael Edward Edmondson Sr.

February 21, 1954 - September 28, 2024

MICHAEL EDWARD EDMONDSON SR., beloved son of the late Algaruon Edmondson and the late Georgina Edmondson Dodd, step-son of the late McKinley G.

Dodd, brother of Loretta Edmondson Goodman and the late Joseph Edmondson, was

born on February 21, 1954 in Baltimore, Maryland. After a short illness, Michael departed

this life on Saturday, September 28, 2024 at Sinai Hospital in Baltimore, Maryland.

He was educated in the Catholic schools in the Archdiocese of Baltimore.

Michael

attended St. Francis of Xavier, Our Lady of Lourdes, Loyola Blakefield, and graduated in

1972 from Frederick Douglass High School, where he was a member of the ROTC. After

graduating high school, Michael enlisted in the United States Air Force that September.

He was stationed at Dover Air Force Base in Delaware. Once he was discharged, he

returned to Baltimore where he held a few jobs before he was hired as a locomotive

engineer for Chessie System, later known as CSX. Michael loved being an

engineer and
took his job seriously. He operated freight trains from Baltimore to various
areas in
Maryland, Virginia, and Pennsylvania, and often times operated the train that
brought
the Ringling Brothers and Barnum and Bailey circus in town. While at CSX, he
trained
new engineers and was a member of the safety board. He worked at CSX for
36 years
until his retirement in January 2013.

Michael was blessed to meet his first wife, the late Sandra Louise (Thompson)
Edmondson,
and they were united in marriage on March 12, 1977 in Baltimore. From this
union, they
were blessed with three children, Tiffany Elizabeth Edmondson Johnson,
Aaron Joseph
Edmondson, and the late Michael (Mikey) Edward Edmondson Jr. He lost his
beloved
Sandra after 36 years of marriage.

He was able to find love again, when he met and later married his second wife
Joann Mary
(Burton) Edmondson. They enjoyed retirement together, traveled, and later
moved to Bel
Air, Maryland where they met new friends and enjoyed participating in the
resident's

activities. They were married until his dear Jo suddenly passed away in October 2020.

Michael enjoyed fishing, building and programming computers, playing chess, games on his phones, listening to music, politics, watching movies, crossword puzzles, wood carving, and being a gun enthusiast. He was a member of the NRA and the Arlington Rifle and Pistol Club. Poppie, as he was affectionately called by his grand and greatgrandchildren, enjoyed taking them fishing, camping, to the gun range, and cooking for them. They were the joy of his life.

Michael is survived by his daughter, Tiffany; his son, Aaron; his sister, Loretta Goodman; eight grandchildren, Ashley Jackson, Ta'shera Edmondson, Jalen Johnson, Jada Edmondson, Deontae Edmondson, Ethan Velines-Bey, Elijah Velines-Bey, and Alix Barnes Edmondson; three great-grandchildren, Raheem Chaney, Lena Chaney, and Rahmah Cedenio; a brother-in-law, Ralph Thompson (Evelyn); three nieces, Chanell Anderson (Uries), Lynette Moultrie (Darrin), and Darien Reynolds (Michael); cousins, Sister Josita Colbert Sndden, Maurice Jackson (Angie), Gwendolyn Wright, and Yates Jackson; and a host of other cousins, great nieces and nephews, and friends.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

NOV **20**. 11:30 AM (ET)

March Funeral Home - West
4300 Wabash Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21215

Tribute Wall



“ *I'm so sorry of the pasting of Michael. He was like a brother.*

Willie Falcon

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“ *We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.*

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